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I feel that as long as I have the option to use any software with the windows platform that Microsoft can add all of their software to the platform for all I care.

Example. I use CompuServe as my internet provider and not msn.

I use the office program which is an add-on simply because it is more universal. But I use Quicken and Quick Books instead of Money for my financial program and I use TD Waterhouse for use as a financial tool.

Anyone has the ability to use a software program from any other source. If they decide that there is a better program out their. Just as I feel that Quicken is a better program than money and is a more universal program.

Unix is a platform that is winning a lot of support and so is the Macintosh platform and they seem to thrive.

I am a business man and I guarantee you that in a competitive market we stay on our toes to keep our position and improve our position. Many companies have set up easier access to the product I sell but it is my responsibility to viably compete against them not the court system.

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